

Caravanners and Campers **Christian Fellowship**

50th National Rally



Spring Bank Holiday

25th MAY – 3rd JUNE 2023

**Red Hill Christian Centre, Snitterfield
Stratford Upon Avon CV37 0PQ**

Who are we ?

The Caravanners and Campers Christian Fellowship - in short CCCF. We are the biggest Christian interdenominational caravanning and camping organisation in England, Northern Ireland, Scotland and Wales. Over 50 years young (founded in 1969), we have about 200 member units and run approximately 60 rallies each year (i.e. camping, caravanning and motorhome meet ups, day meets or events).

What do we do ?

We are a holidaying fellowship run completely by volunteers which makes what we do fantastic value for money. We offer a mix of rally formats with Christian Fellowship together with family fun, centred on our Christian Faith.

We arrange a variety of regional weekend rallies and other events where you are always guaranteed a wonderful welcome. Secondly, we hold a marvellous ten day annual national rally over the Spring Bank Holiday aptly named 'Spring Bank Holiday Rally' (SBHR), catchy we know!

SBHR 2023

We try to hold the Rally in a different part of the UK each year so for our 50th SBHR we are going to a much loved venue near Stratford Upon Avon. There will be showers, toilets and electric hook-up for each unit. We want as many people to be able to attend as possible, so we are repeating our offer of a **50% discount** to anyone who has not been to the CCCF National Rally before.

This year's rally will include four mornings of Bible Studies with Derek Lindley (while the younger generations are catered for by our children's workers and youth workers). We also have a programme dedicated to the older youth (Y10+). The theme for the rally is **Why Worry? Matthew 6 v 25**.

On top of all this we have family friendly holiday times, fun activities, fete games and entertainment by invited performers in the evenings. We can also guarantee you will still have time available to explore and enjoy the lovely area around about as there is plenty for you to see and do.

Interested? Keep reading for full details of SBHR 2023 in the following pages. Come and celebrate with us at Red Hill Christian Centre between 25th May and 3rd June; you can find information about booking and prices enclosed.

God Bless

The Planning Team

Who will be leading the sessions?



Derek Lindley

Derek is leading us in our Bible studies

Derek and his twin sister were adopted as babies and brought up in Altrincham in Cheshire where they attended their local Congregational Church. Derek became a Christian on Voluntary Service Overseas in Guyana, South America in 1966. He taught Religious Education to teenagers in Manchester for 38 years.

Derek has ministered, as a Bible teacher, in Switzerland, Serbia, Ghana and Singapore, as well as in the UK. He is also currently involved in Christian broadcasting with Flame Christian and Community Radio. Derek's Bible Studies for "Discovery" on Trans World Radio were broadcast across Africa from studios in Benin and Swaziland. He is a regular contributor to "Prophetic Witness" magazine.

Derek and his wife Hazel live in Cheadle Hulme with their tripod cat, Molly! They are members of Hazel Grove Baptist Church, Stockport.

The Wow Group ages 3 to reception



Jill Moles is leading the Wow group this year, together with her team of helpers. They plan between them to make songs, craft, videos and the Bible stories a fun time for all our little ones. Parents and carers are also welcome to use the room with their under threes as well, although we ask that you remain with the little ones so that we have a safe ratio of adults to children.

Rachel will be leading the Sprite Group - school years 6 to 9



I gave my life to Jesus when I was 9, but my walk with God wasn't always straight forward. However, I was blessed with a Covenanter leader as a young teenager - who walked alongside me in my faith. She answered questions about faith and inspired me to go deeper into my faith.

As a result I would love to pay this forward. I have always had a heart for teaching young people. I've served in many Sunday Schools and youth groups. More recently I have mentored teenagers and also work as a Teaching Assistant in year 6.

Last year was my first at SBHR and I stepped in as leader for Sprite. I thoroughly enjoyed myself and met many

Rachel Clarke-Brookings young people who astounded me with their energy and love for each other. We saw many friendships solidified and I personally made life-long friendship with the other volunteers who offered their help and support. I look forward to seeing everyone again for the 50th SBHR.

John will be leading the Champions Group



John Hardwick

hundreds of action songs, exciting stories and also small reflective groups.

Champions is our group for children in school years one to five and will be led again this year by John Hardwick.

God says we are all Champions.

John has written several books and hundreds of songs and he works under the banner of Counties and Barnabas! We hope John will bring his sidekick Doug and of course Charlie the cheeky monkey!

All the morning sessions will be action-packed, full of fun and games, many of the

Martyn, Rich and their team will be leading the Youth Group





Martyn Lowe, Richard Lowe and the Youth team

CCCF Youth (Year 10 upwards) will be meeting every evening at SBHR for a wide range of games, challenges and worship led by our familiar faces. If you're new to CCCF or to the youth group, the team – Martyn and Rich and helpers – look forward to meeting you. Having once been part of the youth group themselves, between them

they know every trick in the book when it comes to card games, staying up all night, strutting their stuff on 'Just Dance' and making your money go furthest at the tuck shop. The week will consist of the usual madness and mayhem that goes hand-in-hand with the CCCF Youth, from mind-bending quizzes to indescribable activities and challenges, not forgetting more focussed times of worship, prayer and study each night. Together the youth team aim to create a welcoming and inclusive space for all young people at the rally, providing the opportunity to build friendships as well as be supported on your journey of faith, whatever stage you're at.





SBHR 2023 Draft Programme

Red Hill Christian Centre

	Thursday 25th	Friday 26th	Saturday 27th	Sunday 28th	Monday 29th
8:00			8:00 Prayer Meeting	8:00 Prayer Meeting	8:00 Prayer Meeting
		8:00 - 9:00 Burger Van	8:00 - 9:00 Burger Van	8:00 - 9:00 Burger Van	8:00 - 9:00 Burger Van
9:00		9:00 Prayer Meeting			9:45 - 11:15 Morning Worship with Teaching from Derek Lindley
10:00			10:00 Welcome Meeting Derek Finlayson	10:00 All Age Worship led by John Hardwick	9:30 - 11:30 Children's Meetings
11:00					
12:00			FreeTime	11:30 'First Timers' Tea and Cake	11.30 Regional Coffee Mornings
13:00					
	1:00 - 2:00 Burger Van	1:00 - 2:00 Burger Van			
14:00	2:00 Rally Launch	Free Time			
15:00	3:00 Worship Band Practice		2:30 Ramble	2:30 Messy Church	2:30 Fete Games & Bouncy Castle
16:00					
	4:30 Registration & Meet the Youth & Children's workers				
17:00			5:00 Village teas		
18:00	5:30 - 6:30 Burger Van	5:30 - 6:30 Burger Van		5:30 Hog Roast	
19:00					
20:00	7:30 An Evening hosted by Paula Finlayson	7:30 An Evening hosted by Paula Finlayson	7:00 Fun Night	7:00 Communion Service	7:00 Barn Dance
21:00			9:00 Youth	8:30 Sprite	9:00 Youth
					8:30 Sprite

Why Worry?

Matthew 6 v25

Tuesday 30th		Wednesday 31st		Thursday 1st		Friday 2nd		Saturday 3rd
8:00 Prayer Meeting		8:00 Prayer Meeting		8:00 Prayer Meeting		8:00 Prayer Meeting		8:00 Prayer Meeting
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11.45 Bible Teaching Discussion 		11.45 Bible Teaching Discussion 		11:30 National Committee Meeting				
				Trustees' Meeting				
1:00 - 2:00 Burger Van				1:00 - 2:00 Burger Van		1:00 - 2:00 Burger Van		
2:00 - 3:15 Youth Service Rehearsal		Free Afternoon						
2:30 tbc	2:30 Table Top Games			2:30 tbc	2:30 Golden Boot Competition	2.30 Film	2:30 Football Competition	
				4:00 Cream Teas 				
5:30 - 6:30 Burger Van				5:30 - 6:30 Burger Van				5:30 - 6:30 Burger Van
				6:30 AGM (Family Film during AGM)		6.30 Friday Night Special and Meal		
7:00 Evening Worship led by our Youth		7:00 tbc		Tea/Coffee 				
9:00 Youth	8:30 Sprite	9:00 Youth	8:30 Sprite	9:00 Youth	8:30 Sprite	9:00 Youth	8:30 Sprite	

IMAGES FROM SBHR



ALL FUN AND GAMES...

As always, we will do our best to bring food, fun and festivity to SBHR. Throughout the week there will be various fun activities to participate in which entertain all the family, including:

Village Family Fun Night

Messy Church

Village Tea

Fete Games And Music

Hog Roast And Barn Dance

The Golden Boot

Family Quiz Night

5-A-Side Football Competition



Other Activities

As well as all the above, there will be plenty more activities to get involved with during the week, so keep an eye out for these in the programme once you get on site.

Meetings for children and Youth

Wow Kids
(Ages 3 - Reception)

Champions
(School Years 1 - 5)

Sprite
(School Years 6 - 9)

Youth
(Year 10 Upwards)



COSTS

There is no cost difference for tents, caravans and motorhomes. We do not charge for children or full time students under 18. All units will be charged for at least one adult. If you are able to volunteer to help at the time of booking, that would be greatly appreciated and helps with our planning.

- A one off rally fee of £10
- A pitch fee of £16 per night
- £10 per night per adult
- £5 per night for over 18's in full time education
- Non-member fee of an additional £3 per unit per night

This means that a family unit of 2 adults plus children will pay £36 per night plus the one off rally fee. A single person will only pay £26 per night.

Gift Aid: Rally Fees are not eligible for Gift Aid, however any additional gifts including visitors' voluntary donations are eligible.

There is a facility to book for SBHR online,
please visit www.cccf.org.uk/sbhr to complete your booking form.

NEVER BEEN BEFORE ?

If this would be your first ever Spring Bank Holiday Rally then the above costs will all have

50% off

Which means that a family unit of 2 adults plus children will pay £18 per night (plus a Rally Fee of only £5). A single person will only pay £13 per night.

There is no further reduction, for example for the meals on site. You would pay the normal food price if you choose to use the burger van and to join in the Hog Roast, Cream Tea and Friday Night meals.

EASY PAYMENTS

We are happy to arrange for stage payments in advance to avoid having to pay the full cost of the rally in one payment.

GROUP BOOKINGS

We welcome group bookings including youth groups.

If you wish to make a group booking or stage payments please contact Paul Wells on

sbhr@cccf.org.uk

DIRECTIONS

The rally begins at 2 pm on Thursday 25th May.

Please plan your journey so that you do not arrive before this time.

Red Hill Christian Centre is on the A46 North of Stratford Upon Avon.

- From SW - At the M5 J9 take the A46 to the Centre. The final roundabout crosses the A3400, the entrance is then on your left after 3.3 miles.
- From Birmingham and the NW – Take the M40 SE from the M42 J3A towards Warwick and leave at J15, then follow ‘All Other Routes’.
- From SE - Take the M40 to J15, then follow ‘All Other Routes’.
- From the M1 N (Leicester) – take the M69 South onto the A46 (Coventry bypass) then at the M40 junction follow ‘All Other Routes’.
- From E and A14 – Take the M6 to J2 then the A46 (Coventry bypass), at the M40 junction follow ‘All Other Routes’.
- From the S (M1 and Northampton) - at the M1 J17 take the M45/A45 towards Coventry then the A46 South to the M40 J15 , then follow ‘All Other Routes’.

All Other Routes

- From the M40 J15 take the A46 South. The centre is on the right shortly after the road becomes single carriageway.

An updated version of the full programme of meetings and events will be advertised in future issues of Newline and on our website.



If you need further copies of our booking form,
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